

S. 724

At the request of Mr. KOHL, the name of the Senator from Illinois [Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 724, a bill to authorize the Administrator of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Programs to make grants to States and units of local government to assist in providing secure facilities for violent and chronic juvenile offenders, and for other purposes.

S. 798

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the names of the Senator from South Carolina [Mr. HOLLINGS] and the Senator from Illinois [Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN] were added as cosponsors of S. 798, a bill to amend title XVI of the Social Security Act to improve the provision of supplemental security income benefits, and for other purposes.

S. 839

At the request of Mr. CHAFEE, the name of the Senator from Illinois [Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 839, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit greater flexibility for States to enroll Medicaid beneficiaries in managed care arrangements, to remove barriers preventing the provision of medical assistance under State Medicaid plans through managed care, and for other purposes.

S. 907

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 907, a bill to amend the National Forest Ski Area Permit Act of 1986 to clarify the authorities and duties of the Secretary of Agriculture in issuing ski area permits on National Forest System lands and to withdraw lands within ski area permit boundaries from the operation of the mining and mineral leasing laws.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 20—PROVIDING FOR THE CONDITIONAL RECESS OR ADJOURNMENT OF THE SENATE

Mr. DOLE (for himself and Mr. DASCHLE) submitted the following resolution which was considered and agreed to:

S. CON. RES. 20

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate recesses or adjourns at the close of business on Thursday, June 29, 1995, or Friday, June 30, 1995, pursuant to a motion made by the Majority Leader or his designee, in accordance with this resolution, it stand recessed or adjourned until 12:00 noon on Monday, July 10, 1995, or until such time on that day as may be specified by the Majority Leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until 12:00 noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this resolution, whichever occurs first; and that when the House of Representatives adjourns on the legislative day of Friday, June 30, 1995, it stand adjourned until 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 10, 1995, or until 12:00 noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this resolution, whichever occurs first.

Sec. 2. The Majority Leader of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, acting jointly after consultation with the Minority Leader of the Senate and the Minority Leader of the House, shall notify the Members of the Senate and the House, respectively, to reassemble whenever, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

SENATE RESOLUTION 143— COMMENDING C. ABBOTT SAFFOLD

Mr. DASCHLE (for himself, Mr. DOLE, Mr. FORD, Mr. LOTT, Mr. BYRD, Mr. THURMOND, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. ASHCROFT, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BOND, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BRADLEY, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BRYAN, Mr. BUMPERS, Mr. BURNS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. COATS, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. COVERDELL, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. D'AMATO, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. DODD, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. EXON, Mr. FAIRCLOTH, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. FRIST, Mr. GLENN, Mr. GORTON, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GRAMM, Mr. GRAMS, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. GREGG, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. HATCH, Mr. HATFIELD, Mr. HEFLIN, Mr. HELMS, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. INOUE, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. JOHNSTON, Mrs. KASSEBAUM, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KERREY, Mr. KERRY, Mr. KOHL, Mr. KYL, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. MACK, Mr. MCCAIN, Mr. MCCONNELL, Ms. MIKULSKI, Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. NUNN, Mr. PACKWOOD, Mr. PELL, Mr. PRESSLER, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. REID, Mr. ROBB, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. ROTH, Mr. SANTORUM, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. SIMON, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. SMITH, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SPECTER, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. WARNER, and Mr. WELLSTONE) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 143

Whereas Abby Saffold has faithfully served the Congress in many capacities over the past 28 years, 25 of which were spent in service to the Senate;

Whereas Abby Saffold was the first woman in the history of the Senate to serve as Secretary for the majority and the first to serve as Secretary for the minority;

Whereas Abby Saffold has at all times discharged the important duties and responsibilities of her office with great efficiency and diligence;

Whereas her dedication, good humor, and exceptional service have earned her the respect and affection of Democratic and Republican Senators as well as their staffs: Now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate expresses its appreciation to Abby Saffold and commends her for her lengthy, faithful and outstanding service to the Senate.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Senate shall transmit a copy of this resolution to C. Abbott Saffold.

SENATE RESOLUTION 144—RELATIVE TO HEALTH CARE LEGISLATION

Mr. WELLSTONE (for himself and Mr. FEINGOLD) submitted the following

resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources:

S. RES. 144

Whereas the American people want and deserve the same high quality health care as that received by Members of Congress;

Whereas 41,000,000 Americans are uninsured, more than 11,000,000 of whom are children;

Whereas children have accounted for the largest proportion of the increase in the number of uninsured individuals in recent years;

Whereas the percentage of working people who receive health insurance from their employer has dipped to its lowest point since the early 1980's;

Whereas thousands of the Nation's smallest businesses continue to find the cost of health insurance out of reach;

Whereas many employers who do provide coverage for their employees have been forced to reduce benefits and increase employee cost-sharing requirements in order to continue to provide insurance;

Whereas medical inflation continues to grow at double the general inflation rate;

Whereas choice of health plan and provider is becoming increasingly limited for the vast majority of Americans;

Whereas many American families continue to be subject to discriminatory insurance practices and denied coverage due to pre-existing health conditions;

Whereas the proposed \$450,000,000,000 in medicare and medicaid cuts may lead to increasing numbers of uninsured, higher uncompensated health care costs, and severe cost shifting to the private sector; and

Whereas the status quo is unacceptable and the American public continues to believe that major reform of our country's health care system should be a top priority for Congress: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that, by the end of the 104th Congress, the Senate should pass health care legislation to provide all Americans with coverage that is at least as good as the Senate provides for itself.

SENATE RESOLUTION 145—RELATIVE TO THE ELECTION OF THE SECRETARY FOR THE MINORITY

Mr. DASCHLE submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 145

Resolved, That Martin P. Paone be, and he is hereby, elected Secretary for the minority of the Senate, effective July 11, 1995.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and public that a hearing has been scheduled before the full Committee on Energy and Natural Resources to review proposals with regard to disposition of Power Marketing Administrations.

The hearing will take place Wednesday, July 12, 1995 at 9:30 a.m., in room

SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

For further information, please call James P. Beirne, Senior Counsel to the Committee (202) 224-2564 or Betty Nevitt, Staff Assistant at (202) 224-0765.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON FORESTS AND PUBLIC LAND
MANAGEMENT

Mr. CRAIG. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that a hearing before the Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management has been scheduled for Thursday, July 13, at 9:30 a.m. The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony on S. 884, to designate certain public lands in the State of Utah as wilderness, and for other purposes.

The hearing will be held in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

Those wishing to testify or who wish to submit written statements, should write to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 20510. For further information, please contact Andrew Lundquist at (202) 244-6170.

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL
RESOURCES

Mr. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that an oversight hearing before the Full Committee on Energy and Natural Resources previously scheduled for Tuesday, June 20, 1995, at 9:30 a.m. has been rescheduled for Tuesday, July 18, 1995, at 9:30 a.m. The purpose of the hearing is to review existing oil production at Prudhoe Bay, Alaska and opportunities for new production on the coastal plain of Arctic Alaska.

The hearing will be held in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

Those wishing to testify or who wish to submit written statements, should write to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 20510. For further information, please contact Andrew Lundquist at (202) 244-6170.

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL
RESOURCES

Mr. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that a hearing has been scheduled before the full Committee on Energy and Natural Resources to receive testimony on S. 871, a bill to provide for the management and disposition of the Hanford Reservation, to provide for environmental management activities at the reservation, and for other purposes.

The hearing will take place Thursday, July 20, 1995, at 9:30 a.m., in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

For further information, please call Maureen Koetz, Counsel to the Committee, Betty Nevitt, Staff Assistant at (202) 224-0765, David Garman at (202) 224-7933 or Judy Brown at (202) 224-7556.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON FORESTS AND PUBLIC LAND
MANAGEMENT

Mr. CRAIG. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that a hearing before the Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management has been scheduled for Tuesday, July 25, at 9:30 a.m. The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony on three bills before the committee: S. 45, S. 738, and S. 898.

These bills would end helium refining and marketing operations by the U.S. Bureau of Mines.

The hearing will be held in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

Those wishing to testify or who wish to submit written statements, should write to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 20510. For further information, please contact Michael Flannigan at (202) 224-6170.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO
MEET

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet on Thursday, June 29, 1995, at 9:00 a.m. to mark up the Department of Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND
TRANSPORTATION

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be allowed to meet during the Thursday, June 29, 1995 session of the Senate for the purpose of conducting a hearing on the following nominations: Robert Talcott Francis, II and John Goglia to be members of the National Transportation Safety Board and Robert Clarke Brown to be a member of the board of directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL
RESOURCES

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources and the Committee on Environment and Public Works be granted permission to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, June 29, 1995, for purposes of conducting a Full Committee joint hearing which is scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. The purpose of this oversight hearing is to receive testimony on the energy and environmental implications of the Komi oil spills in the former Soviet Union.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC
WORKS

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Com-

mittee on Environment and Public Works and the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee be granted permission to meet to conduct a joint oversight hearing to explore the environmental and energy-related consequences of Komi oil spills Thursday, June 29, at 10 a.m., Energy Committee Hearing Room (SD-366).

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Finance Committee be permitted to meet on Thursday, June 29, 1995, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in room SD-215, to conduct a hearing on Medicaid.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, June 29, 1995, at 11 a.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to hold a business meeting during the session of the Senate on Thursday, June 29, 1995, at 9:15 a.m. in SD-226.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Small Business be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, June 29, 1995, at 9:30 a.m., in room SD-538, to conduct a markup on legislation which is pending in the committee.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATIONS

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Governmental Affairs, be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, June 29, 1995, to hold hearings on the Investigation of the Friendly Fire Incident during the Persian Gulf War.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AGING

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Aging of the Committee on Labor and Human Resources be authorized to meet for a hearing on the Older Americans Act, during the session of the Senate on Thursday, June 29, 1995, at 9:30 a.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON CLEAN AIR, WETLANDS,
PRIVATE PROPERTY AND NUCLEAR SAFETY

Mr. COHEN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property and Nuclear Safety be